

J.H. MOORE FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

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SKATES:

If you have any skates (boys or girls) or helmets that you are not using and would like to donate to the school for students who do not have any, please send them to the school. We are looking for sizes 10-12 and 1-6. Thank you.

WINTER BREAK:

Our winter break is the week of February 20 - 24. Have a great week!

PRESCHOOL UPDATE:

We are updating our preschool list at the school and would like to hear from you if you have not registered your preschoolers (2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 babies). Please phone the school with their names and birth dates. Also, if you know of any other families that have preschoolers, please ask them to contact the school. (285-3200 or 3333). Thank you for your cooperation.

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS WEEK:

From February 13-17, 2012 it is Random Acts of Kindness Week. The Harmony Squad is planning activities that engage the students on how important a simple act of kindness can be. Not only is kindness to each other a virtue, but also kindness in our community. We are planning to set up a donation jar the day of the bake sale (Feb 14th) and all money will be going to the Aurora Dog Rescue located out of Lloydminster. Here is a little bit about this organization so you know where your money is going:

A volunteer based non-profit rescue working to improve the lives of animals by rescuing, providing food, shelter and medical care to homeless, abandoned, neglected & abused animals until loving forever homes can be found. After first being assessed most of our rescued animals are cared for in loving foster homes, giving the animal a proper environment to thrive, thus providing us with the knowledge to find a suitable forever home. We support and provide our foster home families with food, medical care, training and any other needs the animal may require, while we actively search for an appropriate forever home. Any and all Donations are appreciated.

If you are interested in Adopting, Fostering or Volunteering please e-mail us at rorrescueranch@live.ca and we will get back to you asap. You can also call Dana @ 780-870-6503.

SRC UPDATE:

Valentine's Day Bake Sale

Baked goods will be available for purchase over the noon hour on February 14th. Each item will be \$1 with money going towards the SRC. We are asking for community volunteers to send baked goods for the sale. Please fill out the form at jhmoore.ca if you are able to contribute.

Valentine's Day Colouring Contest

The SRC is sponsoring a colouring & poetry contest for Valentine's Day. Students can submit 1 colouring page and 1 poem to be entered into the contest. Pictures are available from the classroom teacher. Prizes will be awarded for first prize in each of 4 categories: Division 1 colouring, Division 1 poetry, Division 2 colouring, Division 2 poetry. Please only put names on the BACK of the entry in pencil. Submissions will be accepted from February 1 until 3pm February 13th. Winners will be announced at the awards assembly on February 14th at 1pm.

Festival du Voyageur

JH Moore will be celebrating Festival du Voyageur this year! Festival du Voyageur is a festival held annually in St. Boniface, Manitoba that celebrates French-Canadian culture and the fur trade. We will enjoy an afternoon outside participating in relays, winter sports, snow sculpting, and maple candy making. This event will only go ahead if the weather cooperates and there is snow to work with! Stay tuned for more information closer to the 16th!

WATER FOR STUDENTS:

The water coolers at J.H. Moore have been removed out of the classrooms. We have had a new water fountain installed for our Div. I students. If your child still prefers bottled water, they may bring their own.